Nevada Department of Education Supplemental Service Providers Information

SY2009-2010

A+ Grades Up	Amy Marlow	Statewide	\$49.00 - \$79.00
2600 Linda Lane, Suite 8	(866) 502-4723		per hour
Edmond, OK 73013	(405) 608-0769 (fax)		

A+ Grades Up provides students in grades K-12 with high quality instruction in reading and math. We have tutored more than 15,000 SES students during the past 7 years. 89% of our students have shown improvement in our program. Students often start our program below grade level and many have learning disabilities and speak little English. We test all of our students at the start of our program to determine their skill level. We use nationally recognized learning materials created by Continental Press that are aligned with the Nevada state academic standards – the same standards the school follows. We also teach test-taking skills that help students improve their Nevada test scores. A+ Grades Up offers the choice of individual or small group tutoring. Parents/guardians choose the program that best suits their child's needs. We provide all tutoring in-person immediately following the regular school hours and on weekends.

Tutors: Local teachers and college graduates

Location: Student's school, student's home or alternative locations, such as libraries or community centers

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 15 students per site

Costs: \$49.00 - \$79.00 per hour per student

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Analysis of quantitative data from our 2007-08 and 2008-09 academic intervention programs by Litzenberger Consulting has provided evidence that our instructional program is effective in improving students' academic performance in math and English Language Arts. Data analysis is on file with the Nevada Department of Education and is available upon request.

ABC Phonetic Reading School, Inc.	John Cahal	Clark and	\$75.00 per hour –
3127 N. 17 th Ave.	1 (800) 538-7323	Washoe County	(one to one);
Phoenix, AZ 85015-5803			\$55.00 per hour
			(small group)

Since 1986, ABC Phonetic Reading School (ABC) has successfully taught tens of thousands of students the Reading, Writing and Language Arts skills necessary for academic success in school. ABC's copyrighted Reading Program, methodology and philosophy of instruction are all supported by the latest scientific research by the National Reading Panel commission by congress to determined "What Works" in teaching reading. In addition, students are taught and learn in an atmosphere charged with confidence, challenge and fun. Instruction is after school, at your child's school local library, community center or at a local ABC Learning Center.

Tutors: Local teachers and college graduates

Location: ABC learning centers, school sites, student's home or alternative locations, such as libraries, or

community centers

Transportation provided: No

Grades served: K-8

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of <u>12</u> students per site

Costs: \$75.00 per hour for one-to-one; \$55.00 per hour for small groups

Special groups served: English Language Learners

Record of Effectiveness: In 2006-07, 74.4% of the 227 students who completed ABC's program improved their reading skills, making gains of one to five grade levels on their post program San Diego Quick Reading Assessment (SDQRA). Independent, third party analysis of our student outcomes data for AY 2005/06 and AY 2006/07, provides clear evidence that our instructional program has a positive impact on students' reading achievement.

A to Z In-Home Tutoring	Jennifer Skeeters	Clark, Nye and Washoe	\$60.00 per hour –one
215 Centerview Drive, Suite 300	(866) 505-2869 x105	Counties	to one
Brentwood, TN 37027			

A to Z In-Home Tutoring provides in person, one-on-one instruction in the comfort and convenience of the student's home or alternate location chosen by parent. Our tutors work with children in Reading, Language Arts and math. A to Z utilizes Incentive Publications BASIC/Not Boring curriculum and testing series. All of our curriculum content is research-based and focuses on helping struggling students to succeed. All students are pretested using a specialized diagnostic test that is directly aligned to Nevada State Standards. The results of the pretest specifically identify which skill sets the child is deficient in so that tutoring services are 100% custom tailored and individualized for the needs of the student. Periodic mini-assessments are used to monitor the student's growth, which allows tutors to be well aware of the child's academic needs. During the final session a post-test is given to measure the overall gains of the child and the new academic skills they have achieved as a result of working with that tutor.

Tutors: Local teachers, college graduates and paraprofessionals

Location: Student's home or alternative locations, such as libraries or community centers

Transportation provided: No

Grades served: K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of $\underline{5}$ students per district

Costs: \$60.00 per hour for one-to-one tutoring; total costs based on student's PPA

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with mild learning difficulties

Record of Effectiveness: The results for students served in Nevada during the 2007-08 school year showed the average increase across the grade levels was 18%. The p-values for each individual grade level were less than or equal to 0.03, showing statistically significant differences between pre- and post-test scores for each group. In addition, students gained an average of 5 reading/language arts skills and 5 math skills.

Alternatives Unlimited	Lisa Platt	Statewide	\$40.00-\$50.00/per
6628 Sky Pointe Dr. #105	(702) 656-3437		hour
Las Vegas, NV 89131			

The Alternatives Unlimited (AU) tutoring program provides instruction in math and reading/English Language Arts for students in grades K-12. AU will assist schools in Nevada by offering purposeful, focused instruction that helps students achieve specific targeted goals aligned to national standards, Nevada state academic standards, and the individual school's instructional program. AU provides individual instruction, as well as small group (5:1) and large group instruction (not to exceed10:1 student to tutor ratio). AU utilizes the same tools used in the classroom to provide an effective learning environment. The coordination of instructional programs will appear seamless. Each student is prescribed a Student Learning Plan (SLP) which delineates specific short and long range academic goals for data driven instruction. The AU program partners with each district to provide students with the help needed to master the benchmarks of each appropriate standard for mathematics, reading and writing in the areas of individual student deficiency.

Tutors: College and high school graduates

Location: Student's home, student's school, or alternative locations such as libraries, churches or community

centers

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: <u>Yes</u>, a minimum of <u>7</u> students per site Costs: Group instruction - \$40.00 per hour; Individual instruction = \$50.00 per hour **Special groups served:** English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: During 2007-08, 173 K-12th grade California students completed an ENI target assessment in math pre- and post-program. Of these students, 157 (90%) showed improvements on their post-program Target assessment after receiving our targeted math intervention, increasing their scores by 1 to 75 points.

Amigo Learning Center	Guadalupe Valadez	Clark County	\$1,373.00 per student
8495 S. Lisa Ln.	(702) 515-9185		
Las Vegas, NV 89113			

Amigo Learning Center concentrates on delivering a personalized learning environment in where students can strengthen their education and continue to grow academically. High quality instructors will provide tutoring services at students' schools in the areas of math, language arts and reading. Tutoring will be tailored to meet students' needs and proficiency levels in alliance in Nevada State Standards. Amigo Learning Center tutoring program offers individualized tutoring (1-2) or small group (4-6), through one hour and a half sessions for a minimum of 22 hours or 32 hours accordingly. Students will be assigned to tutors who will work individually with students by using direct classroom instruction and different customized activities that will focus on increasing academic achievement.

Tutors: Local teachers, paraprofessionals and college graduates

Location: Student's school

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-6th

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 10 students per site

Costs: \$1,373.00 per student total; \$45.00-\$56.00 per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners, Limited English Proficient students and students with special needs **Record of Effectiveness:** Amigo Learning Center is a newly formed company (2008) and does not yet have data to provide regarding the effectiveness of their services. However, reviewers felt that the model has potential for improving student academic achievement and data will be collected as students receive services.

Bright Sky Learning, LLC	Matt Williams	Clark and	\$40.00 per hour
2803 Pinewood Dr.	(775) 530-5446	Washoe County	
Sparks, NV 89435			

Bright Sky Learning provides evidence and research-based reading and/or math guided instruction to students in grades K through 12. Independent research shows that students gained approximately 1.5 grade levels in reading skills in just 20 hours of tutoring instruction. Our own research has shown that students in the math program have gained, on average, 1.35 grade levels in only 15 hours. The Bright Sky Learning small-group format is structured so that students who do require additional assistance may receive individual tutoring as needed. All materials are provided. No Games. No Gimmicks. Just Results!

Tutors: Local teachers, college graduates, local paraprofessionals and high school graduates

Location: On-site computer based tutoring at student's school or other location (community center, library)

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of <u>20</u> students per site

Costs: \$40.00 per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: During the 2007-08 school year, 82% completed and 87% had ore-and post-tests administered. The minimum improvement recorded was 6.8 standard points (2nd grade) where students moved on, on average, from 90.6 to 97.4. Measured in percentile rankings, students moved on average, from the 27th

percentile to the 42nd percentile.

Building Blocks Tutoring	Alyce Gray	Clark County	Up to \$1463.00 (PPA)
P.O. Box 36058	(702) 496-0580		
Las Vegas, NV 89133-6058	(702) 255-6118		

The mission of Building Blocks Tutoring is to provide a learning experience of personalized, concentrated instruction which helps each child build a good foundation for continued growth and achievement. We work with students who have special needs; are English Language Learners; who want to improve their academic skills; or who are struggling with learning. Focusing on reading, language arts and /or math, the curriculum we provide is tailored specifically to your child. Each child receives an assessment before tutoring beings. Based on the results of the test, the tutor develops a curriculum tailored to your child's specific needs.

Tutors: Local teachers with college degrees

Location: Student's school or at the student's home

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-5

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of $\underline{6}$ per site

Costs: Up to \$1463.00 or the student's PPA

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: As a start up company, Building Blocks Tutoring's data is based on their own personal experience working with students with special needs, specifically those with learning disabilities and students deemed "at risk" for, or identified as Developmentally Delayed. Utilizing research based approaches to intervention, many of the "at risk" characteristics of the students were eliminated allowing them to more fully function within their regular classrooms and avoid eventual placement in special education.

CCEA Community Foundation	John Jasonek	Clark County only	\$1,463.00 per
2880 E. Flamingo Road, #A	(702) 294-2232		student
Las Vegas, NV 89121			

The CCEA Community Foundation (CCEACF) has been the largest and most preferred tutoring provider in Clark County since 2004. The CCEACF provides supplementary educational services, with licensed personnel, to qualified K-8 students, in reading/language arts and mathematics. Our aim is to improve educational achievement using an engaging, professionally developed curriculum aligned with State of Nevada Department of Education standards and the programs in use during the students' regular academic school day. The lessons that students experience with the CCEACF are designed to be interactive, hands-on, experience-based, and memorable events that students learn from and enjoy. To date the 42 hours of instruction offered by the CCEACF has been the most offered by any SES provider. Students attend 180 minutes of tutoring per week on their regular school campus, most often with a teacher familiar to them from their regular school day. Students attend sessions of reading/language arts and mathematics instruction to assist them in improving their performance across all areas of their regular school day.

Tutors: Local teachers **Location:** Student's school

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-8

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 10 students per site

Costs: \$1,463.00 per student

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: In 2007-080, the average language arts pre-test score was 44.8%. The average language arts post-test score was 56.6%. In 2007-08, the average mathematics pre-test score was 48.8%. The average mathematics post-test score was 63.8%. Preliminary data for 2008-09 indicates the average language arts increase from pre- to post-assessment is 18.9%, and the average mathematics increase from pre- to post-assessment is 24.2%.

Club Z! In-Home Tutoring Services	Cari Diaz	Statewide	\$65.00 per hour
15310 Amberly Drive, Suite 185	1-800-434-2582		
Tampa, FL 33647	813-549-0185 (fax)		

Club Z!, the nation's largest supplemental educational service provider s offers one-on-one, in-home tutoring or small group tutorial sessions instructed by highly qualified certified teachers, degreed professionals, and/or individuals with a minimum of 60 hours of college credit. Club Z! provides services in both reading and mathematics to all students' K-12 including students with disabilities and English Language Learners. Students who complete Club Z! supplemental educational services show an average of a year's worth of growth, so start your child on the road to academic success by joining the Club Z! club today!

Tutors: Local teachers, college graduates or degreed professionals

Location: Student's school, student's home or an alternative location, such public libraries or community centers

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: No

Costs: \$65.00 per hour per student

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: The effectiveness of the Club Z! program in the state of Nevada specifically has also been overwhelmingly positive. Of the students in Clark and Nye Counties (grades K-8) who received SES from Club Z! during the 2007-2009 school year, 91% of the students serviced showed gains in reading and 96% showing gains in mathematics. Similarly, effectiveness data was gathered from Washoe County. Students participating in this program all received 1:1 in –home instruction for a total of 16.5 hours. Of the students completing the program the average grade level equivalency increase was .84 grade levels, according to the Kaufman Test of Educational Achievement.

Cool Kids Learn	Cutari Copeland	Clark and Washoe County	\$65.00 -\$75.00
7975 NW 154 th Street, Suite 350	1-800-959-0255		per hour
Miami, FL 33016			

Cool Kids Learn helps provide children with the academic skills and the love of learning they need to succeed in school and life. Personalized tutoring is in small groups in Reading/Language Arts and Math for K-12 grades, at schools, public libraries and community centers. We design each program for each child's individual academic needs and his/her individual learning style. Children work with our qualified and experienced tutors on their Individual Learning Plans. According to latest estimates for this year (2007-08), 85% of our students had scored learning gains of at least 40%.

Tutors: Local teachers, college graduates or paraprofessionals

Location: Student's school, student's home or an alternative location, such public libraries

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 10 per site

Costs: \$65.00- \$75.00 per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners

Record of Effectiveness: Cool Kids has delivered SES tutoring since 2004-05. When comparing pre-and post-assessments results, in 2004-05, students improved their performance in reading and math by an average 39%. In 2005-06, students improved their performance in reading and math by an average of 46%. In 2006-07, students improved their performance in reading and math by 30%-40%. Average increases in the order of 30%-40% were also recorded in school year 2007-08. In our summer 2007 program, 78% of program participants increased their performance in reading skills based on pre- and post-tests; 87% increased their math scores.

Douglas County School District	Brian Frazier	Douglas County only	\$792.00 per
1638 Mono Ave./P.O. Box 1888	(775) 782-5160		student/per year
Minden, NV 89423			

Licensed high-quality teachers will offer Reading and Math Camps to Douglas County School District students who perform below grade level on the District's Measure of Academic Performance (MAPs) Reading and/or Math assessment or the State Criterion Referenced Tests (CRTs) in Reading and/or Math. The interventions will be offered to students either before, during, or after school (15 weeks @ 2 hours per week = 30 hours).

Tutors: Local teachers **Location**: Student's school

Transportation provided: Yes, home after school **Grades served**: 1st-6th grade for Math and/or Reading

Minimum number of students required: No

Costs: \$792.00 per student/per year

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Students who participate in Reading and/or Math interventions are expected to show growth on the Reading MAP or Math MAP as a result of the intervention. MAP tests are provided in the Fall of the year to provide a baseline score and access to the instructional resources in DesCartes, which focuses the intervention to the specific needs of the student. Students have the opportunity to be reassessed during the Winter and/or Spring windows to determine growth. MAP growth data through Fall 2008 for grades 3-6 shows that the average RIT point growth from the previous grade meets or exceeds expected growth for most grade levels. For all grade levels, on average there is positive RIT growth for each grade level.

Educate Online (formerly Catapult	Angela Belt	Clark County	Based on
Online)	866-619-3382	•	district's PPA
506 S. Central Avenue			
Baltimore, MD 21202			

Educate Online (Catapult Online until June, 2007) has successfully served more than 50,000 students since 2002. All tutoring, by U.S. certified instructors, takes place online. Students use a computer provided by Educate Online, and Educate Online arranges internet connectivity, if needed, at no charge. Our programs in math and reading utilize individualized, direct instruction and master learning techniques to address each student's specific skill gaps. Teachers teach, and reteach as necessary, so that students truly master the goals on their individual learning plans before moving onto the next lesson. On average, students who complete either our math or reading program gain a grade level in skills.

Tutors: State Certified Teachers and college graduates

Location: Online at a student's home. Services can also be offered at a local school site or a nearby community

center

Transportation: No **Grades served:** 3-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of <u>25</u> students per district

Costs: Based on district's per pupil allocation

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: On average, students who complete the Educate Online program demonstrate at least one

year of grade level growth in reading or math.

Educational Enterprises	Dr. Glenna Tyler	Statewide	Varies, based on
121 Luckie Street Suite 100	(404) 577-8711		program
Atlanta, GA 30303			

Educational Enterprises was founded in 1999 by Dr. Glenna Tyler. We are a multi-cultural company that believes all students can be academically successful. We have provided SES services successfully for seven years in over 20 school districts in 15 states. We have assisted numerous schools in a variety of states meet AYP. Educational Enterprises offers a comprehensive tutorial program in the core subjects of Reading/Language Arts and Mathematics. We also focus on Test Taking and Study Skills. We utilize the Standards Plus Curriculum, which focuses on mastering basic skills at all levels K-12, as well as the Achieve Pre and Post Test to determine students strengths, weaknesses and academic growth. With the experience of certified teachers, retired teachers and trained degreed professionals, we utilize small group (1:8) instruction models to facilitate student success. Sessions will be conducted 2 days per week, 1.5-2 hours per day for 10-15 weeks.

Tutors: Local teachers and paraprofessionals, college graduates

Location: Student's school, community center, church or public library

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 35 students per site

Costs: Varies, based on program

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: In our 2007-08 programs in Georgia, Ohio and South Carolina, students showed increases on the Achieve pre-test to post-test an average of 8 percentage points in Language Arts. At our Illinois

programs students showed increases of an average of 13 percentage points.

Empowerment Learning Services LLC	Sue Goodman	Statewide	\$35-\$50 per hour;
1687 English Rose Drive	(702) 388-4357		\$1100-\$1800 per
Las Vegas, NV 89147	1-866-319-4749		student

Empowerment Learning Services LLC provides students with comprehensive English Language Arts, reading or math program based on their specific needs. We have been providing tutoring services to grades K-12 through the No child Left Behind program wince 2006. Our services are offered Monday through Saturday at schools, community centers, libraries and/or churches within close proximity to the schools our students attend. We offer 1-2 hour tutoring sessions before and after school and during the summer. Our students work closely with highly qualified tutors who provide direct instruction and reinforcement of skills in small groups of 4-8 students.

Tutors: Mostly college graduates

Location: Student's school or library, church or other recreational facilities

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: No Costs: \$35-\$50 per hour; \$1100-\$1800 per student

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Empowerment Learning Services LLC administers the Achieve Test pre- and post-assessments in reading. On average, most grade levels met or surpassed our program goal of a 10% increase in both reading and math. In year one (2006) of our SES program, the average gains were 23% in reading and 14.5% in math. In year two (2007), the average gains were 75% in reading and 35% in math.

Globutronic Educational Group, LLC	Melvin Hatcher	Statewide	\$50.00 per hour
29556 Southfield Road, Suite 210	1-888-424-9540		(up to \$1,400 per
Southfield, MI 48076			student)

Globutronics is celebrating over 5 years as a Supplemental Educational Service Provider for K-12 students in the areas of mathematics, reading and English Language Arts, Understanding the variety of available after-school programs, Globutronic strives toward innovative and creative design to meet the needs of your child independently. The mission of Globutronic Educational Group, LLC is to provide an outstanding after school enrichment program that empowers students to be constructive, innovative members of society. Allowing students to work at their pace, Globutronic provides qualified, certified and committed staff to assist students within their areas of need. With a collaborative teacher/student approach and positive behavioral support, Globutronic implements a curriculum designed to create an optimal learning environment and experience for students.

Tutors: Local teachers

Location: Student's school or at the provider's facility

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 25 students per site

Costs: \$50.00 per hour; up to \$1,400 per student

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: In 2008-09, a group of 16, 6th - 8th grade students in Clark County evaluated in reading and math, showed an average increase of 29.25 percentage points in reading and 25.75 percentage points in math.

Huntington Learning Centers, Inc.	Terry Smithson	Storey County	\$40.00 per hour
496 Kinderkamack Road	800-692-8400 x 452	Carson City	_
Oradell, NJ 07649	800-466-1831 (fax)	Clark County	
		Washoe County	

Huntington Learning Centers, Inc., a for-profit, privately held organization, is one of the largest and most successful SES provider in the U.S. Huntington provides instruction in Reading and Mathematics to students in grades K-12. The instructional program is based on sound educational research and decades of experience. Huntington adheres to an educational philosophy, which includes comprehensive testing, sophisticated diagnostics, time-tested curriculum, and the positive impact of our program on student achievement. To ensure each student receives individualized instruction, Huntington uses research based and proven curricula and provides 432 different reading programs, 169 phonics lesson plans across 34 different skill sets, and 663 different lesson plans within 110 different levels in Math to choose from.

Tutors: College graduates

Location: Huntington Learning Centers and/or student's schools

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Not at centers, 200 minimum at district level

Costs: \$40.00 per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: The Chicago Public School System prepared the 2007 SES program: Year 4: Summative Evaluation, which found that students receiving services at Huntington "demonstrated significantly greater reading achievement gains than students eligible for SES that did not participate."

Learning Solutions	Elsa Borell	Statewide	Based on district's
3540 W. Sahara Ave., Ste. 436	(702) 263-9656		PPA
Las Vegas, NV 89102			
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A + Learning Solutions provides lots of options for families! Students can receive personalized instruction in reading and/or math. Our program is taught at the school site usually right after school. If you would rather have your child tutored at home, we also have tutors available to come to your home or your preferred public location at times convenient for the family and mutually agreed upon by all parties. Sessions are usually 60-90 minutes long. Our tutoring program targets the individual student's needs in order to improve success in the classroom and achieve state standards. Parents receive progress reports monthly. Give your child A+ Learning Solutions.

Tutors: Local teachers, paraprofessionals, college and high school graduates, trained tutors

Location: Student's school, student's home, community center or public library

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of <u>10</u> students per school site for after-school programs, <u>15</u> for special school programs (i.e. Saturday), no minimums for in-home tutoring.

Costs: Based on district's per pupil allocation

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: During the 2007-08 school year, we provided tutoring to 59, K-8 students in a rural district. All students were tested with Leap Track Assessments. All students with consistent attendance increased their scores. The average score for students who completed 15 hours of instruction was 23% in reading, 24% in math and 26% in language arts as compared from pre- to post-tutoring tests.

Metro Educational Concepts Inc.	Michael Bartley	Clark and Washoe	\$35.00-\$50.00 per
19785 W. Twelve Mile Rd. #367	1-877-632-4669	(on-site tutoring);	hour, based on
Southfield, MI 48076		other eligible LEA's	student:tutor ratio
		for distance learning)	

Metro Educational Concepts, Inc. offers tutoring services to students in Kindergarten through 12th grade before school, after school, on weekends, and/or during the summer at no cost to you. Our Houghton Mifflin Skills Tutor program is computer-based (but paper and pencil tutoring is also available when preferred). Tutoring sessions can take place in students' homes, schools, or a safe location in the community like a library. A tutor works with your student and helps them to reach their goals. Average group size is just one to two students per tutor, so we can give plenty of personal instruction! We work with parents/guardians to create goals and a weekly schedule that works with your busy schedules. We care about your child's progress and also their safety. We have served over 500 students in multiple states, and our program is proven to work.

Tutors: Local teachers and college graduates

Location: Local school, in home, and community centers

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of $\underline{\mathbf{5}}$ per site

Costs: \$35-\$50.00 per hour, based on student/tutor ratio (\$35-\$100 per unit, since sessions are 1-2 hours in length)

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Our tutoring program is designed and proven to be effective in increasing student achievement, especially in low-income students who are performing below grade level. Last year two of the Detroit Public Schools (K-8), where Metro educational Concepts, Inc. provided tutorial services, were removed from the AYP list due to schoolwide achievement progress. Students receiving MEC Inc. supplemental educational services scores increased overall.

Si2, Supplemental Instructional	Paula Barry	Clark County	\$40.50 per student per
Services, Inc.	(702) 490-1452		hour; District PPA total
LAS-Westridge Station			
P.O. Box 400940			
Las Vegas, NV 89113			

Supplemental Instructional Services Incorporated, best known as Si2, offers small group face-to-face, differentiated tutorial services customized to meet the individual needs of K-12 at-risk learners in reading, writing, mathematics and/or science. Si2 educators are highly qualified, with a proven track record of improving student achievement using a hands on approach to teach basic learning skills. Si2 believes that at the right time, all students can achieve and succeed in school. Si2 believes that learning takes place over time; therefore we schedule tutoring sessions to extend well into the school year. Si2 believes that academic failure is not an option – Let's Si2 Success!

Tutors: Local teachers and paraprofessionals

Location: Student's school or other community locations

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of $\underline{10}$ students per site

Costs: \$40.50 per student per hour with district PPA total amount

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Each academic year, since our inception (2005-06), greater than 85% of students completing our program have demonstrated learning gains with our pre-post assessment data thus meeting the achievement goals detailed in their Student Learning Plans. Our company has a wealth of specific student achievement data on State, District and other independent, valid and reliable performance assessments, strongly documenting evidence of our program's positive impact on students.

Studentnest.com	Chander Joshi	Statewide	\$50.00 per student per
7429 N. First Street, Suite 104	(559) 650-3979		hour
Fresno, CA 93720	(559) 650-3986 fax		

STUDENTNEST.COM provides tutoring in mathematics for students in grades 1 though 12. If a student does not have a computer or internet access, they will be provided one since tutoring is done in the student's home. Sessions are prescheduled for 1-3 times a week, and are for 1-2 hours. Studentnest's technology allows the student and tutor to talk to each other over the internet, and the mouse acts like a pen to write on the computer screen. A preassessment determines the student's skill level. Usually the same tutor works with the student to develop an encouraging and supportive relationship and to accelerate his or her learning.

Tutors: College graduates

Location: On-line at the student's school, home or wherever internet access is available

Transportation: N/A **Grades served:** 1-12

Minimum number of students required: No

Costs: \$50.00 per student per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Based on SES services provided for school year 2006-07, STUDENTNEST helped 137 middle school students achieve the following results: (1) 55% of the students achieved proficiency; (2) 78% of the students achieved learning gains (significant growth). A comparison of 2005-2006 and 2006-2007 showed the following: Grade 5 increased from 22% to 34%; Grade 6 – increased from 46% to 77%; Grades 7-8 increased from 38% to 66%. A comparison of 2005-2006 and 2006-2007 of achieved learning gains showed the following: Grade 5 – increased from 46% to 57%; Grade 6 – increased from 69% to 89%; and Grade 7 – increased from 46% to 84%.

SurePrep Learning, LLC	David Dodge	Carson, Clark, and	\$48 - \$68.00/per
4400 N. Scottsdale Rd. Ste. 9268	1-480-480-7737	Washoe Counties	student per hour
Scottsdale, AZ 85251			_

SurePrep provides English Language Arts/Reading and Math (including Algebra and Geometry) tutoring to students in grades K-12. SurePrep offers the choice of individual or small-group tutoring. Parents/guardians choose the program that best suits their child's needs. We provide all tutoring in-person immediately proceeding or following regular school hours, on weekends and in the summer. We tutor on-site at the schools, in the students' homes and at community locations such as libraries and churches. All of our instructors are state certified teachers or individual with at least a Bachelor's degree and 2 years of teaching experience.

Tutors: Local teachers and college graduates

Location: Student's home, local school, and other community locations

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 15 students per site

Costs: \$48.00 - \$68.00 per student per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Students using SurePrep Learning pre and post-test scores for students in kindergarten through 12th grade for 2007, in the area of ELA show an overall increase of 28.4% and 25.28% in math. For 2008, pre and post-test scores for students in kindergarten through 12th grade, in the area of ELA show an overall increase of 21.49%, and 21.06% in math.

Sylvan Learning Center #2207	Catherine Parrill	Clark County only	\$40.00-48.00 per
1915 West Craig #3	(702) 649-7889		session
North Las Vegas, NV 89032			

Sylvan Learning Center is the leading provider of tutoring for children in grades K-12. It offers personalized instruction to meet each student's needs. The Sylvan Learning Center program starts with a Sylvan Skills Assessment. We use the results to create a learning plan to guide each student's reading or math instruction. "Ace it!" Tutoring will be offered in schools and at community locations in Clark County School District. Ace it! Tutoring offers in-person, small class instruction to meet individual student needs. The Ace it! Tutoring program starts with an assessment to identify each student's specific learning needs. We use the results to create a learning plan to guide each student's reading or math instruction.

Tutors: Local teachers

Location: Sylvan Centers #2206 and #2207, students school for the Ace it! Program; and at community locations such as community centers, churches, and other neighborhood schools

Transportation: No

Grades served: K-8 for reading; 1st-8th for math

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of <u>32</u> students per school site for the Ace it! Program (students at school site minimum must be performing academically at the same level based on test scores); no minimum for student's attending the Sylvan site.

Costs: \$40.00 - \$48.00 per session

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: In our thirty years of instruction, Sylvan Learning Centers have instructed over 2 million students. Over 80% of our students have increased at least one grade level equivalent on the California Achievement Test (CAT) after 36 hours of instruction.

Total Tutoring Services, Inc.	Monica Titzel	Statewide	\$70.00 per student/per
3388 A Lakeside Ct.	(775) 747-4246		hour for 1:1; \$55.00
Reno, NV 89509			per student/per hour for
			2+:1

Total Tutoring Services, Inc. missions is to provide targeted, quality, tutoring that fills the specific academic needs of our students, giving children the confidence in school and in life, and impacts families and the community one child at a time. Total Tutoring is a Nevada-owned company and has been in business for thirteen years. In addition, Total Tutoring has served over 2,000 students in our SES program. Our goal is to help each child advance in math, reading and language arts by building on what the child is receiving at school. We do this by having qualified tutors and small groups, usually two or three students to one tutor. Each child receives an academic plan specifically designed to meet his/her needs. Total Tutoring has worked with all types of students; average students who are below grade level or who need enrichment, gifted and talented, special education, and English Language Learners.

Tutors: Local teachers **Location**: Local schools **Transportation**: No **Grades served**: K-12

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of $\underline{4}$ per site

Costs: \$70.00 per student/per hour for 1:1; \$55.00 per student/per hour for 2+:1

Special groups served: English Language Learners (Spanish speaking) and students with special needs **Record of Effectiveness:** During the 2007-08 school year, Total Tutoring provided tutoring to 422 Washoe County SES students. The average growth between pre- and post-assessments for these students in Language Arts, Mathematics, and Reading were 21%, 21%, and 19% respectively. In Lyon County, the 19 students tutored by Total Tutoring had an average growth of 6.9 in Language, 7.5% in math, and 7.1% in reading using the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP).

The Trustforte Corporation	Elize Auhnan	Statewide	\$45 per hour
271 Madison Avenue, 3rd Floor	866-272-4638		
New York, NY 10016			

Brainfuse is the nation's leading provider of online tutoring to schools. With our easy-to-use online classroom, we offer one-on-one tutoring in Math, Reading and Writing (grades 3-12) – all from a student's home or school computer. Each Internet session last 1 hour and is held 2-3 times per week. Brainfuse is an online service, and is thus available from any computer with Internet access (home or school computer). **Note**: While Brainfuse provides all the educational materials, it <u>does not</u> provide students with a computer of Internet access. Since we provide one-to-one tutoring, our proven research-based program is customized to each child's needs.

Tutors: College graduates

Location: On-line at the student's school, home or wherever internet access is available

Transportation: No **Grades served:** 3rd -12th

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 10 students per site

Costs: \$45.00 per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners

Record of Effectiveness: Brainfuse was ranked #1 in Math and #2 in Reading among online providers in Chicago.

This is based on the study by the Chicago Public Schools in 2007.

Tutoring Club	Chris Moran	Clark County	\$46.88 per hour
2213 N. Green Valley Pkwy.	(702) 436-2582	-	_
#103			
Henderson, NV 89014			

Tutoring Club provides individualized instruction in reading, writing and math, for children in grades K-12, which targets and corrects skill gaps. At Tutoring Club, our goal is to bring each student to the desired academic level as quickly as possible. In order to help your child succeed, he or she will receive individualized instruction from our staff of professional tutors. We work to reduce stress and build confidence by starting each student at a level that he or she can handle and then progressing through the grade levels as rapidly as they can. Tutoring Club has 5 locations in the Las Vegas area.

Tutors: College graduates

Location: Student's school or at the provider's facility

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-12

Minimum number of students required: No

Costs: \$46.88 per hour for tutoring

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: In 2007, Entrepreneur Magazine, as one of the nation's top 150 franchises, ranked Tutoring Club. Teachers and parents comment that once students are in a routine at Tutoring Club, they have noticed a decrease in behavior problems in school, and positive behavior changes overall as far as their attitude towards school in general.

Tutoring for Excellence	Everardo Gil and Maya	Clark County	\$55-75.00 per hour
936 Derringer Lane	Richardson		
Las Vegas, NV 89014	(702) 434-3985		

Tutoring for Excellence provides individualized one-on-one tutoring for reading, language arts, and math instruction for students in grades K-5. Our main goal is to help students in at-risk schools and English Language Learners reach Nevada state gravel level standards. We aim to build a relationship with the parents, teachers and the program to communicate the students' progress and goals. Twenty-four hours of tutoring services guaranteed.

Tutors: Local teachers, paraprofessionals, and college graduates

Location: Student's school, home or public libraries

Transportation: No **Grades served:** K-5th

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of $\underline{6}$ students per site

Costs: \$55.00-\$75.00 per hour for tutoring

Special groups served: English Language Learners

Record of Effectiveness: During the 2007-2008 school year, Tutoring for Excellence students showed an average increase of 19.8% in mathematics and 23.8% in reading. Students took a Nevada state standard based assessment that was based on each student's grade level.

Tutoring Solutions	Sean & Jaime Whisler	Specific Washoe County	\$50.00 – 75.00 per
9460 Cordoba Blvd.	(775) 351-4266	schools	hour
Sparks, NV 89441			

Tutoring Solutions tutors are certified as "Highly Qualified" by the Nevada Department of Education and currently work for the school district. All of our tutors provide instruction in math, reading, and writing using methods and strategies that are research proven to be effective instructional strategies. Tutoring Solutions does not use programs that are "out of a box". All of our instruction is research based and currently used in highly effective classrooms. Tutoring takes place in small groups (2-5 students per group) to ensure that your child's needs are being met. Goals for your child are developed using assessment data that shows your child's strengths and weaknesses. All services are provided at your child's school in a safe and secure environment. Your child will never leave the school, and will always be supervised by licensed educators. We also offer free after-school care for your child before their tutoring sessions begin.

Tutors: Local teachers

Location: Student's school

Transportation: N/A **Grades served:** K-6th

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of $\underline{5}$ students enrolled per site

Costs: 1:1 = \$75.00/per hour; 2-4 = \$50.00/per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners, and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: Current academic success rates as evidenced by the Leap Track pre and post tests, which is administered by the Washoe County School District, show that students averaged academic gains of 19.6% in reading, math and language arts.

21st Century SES	Shandell Landon (775) 333-6039	Washoe County Only	\$35.00 per student/per hour
535 East Plumb Lane			
Reno, NV 89502			

21st Century SES is an afterschool tutoring program designed to help students improve in their reading, math, and language arts skills. 21st Century SES does this through hands on learning that builds on what students are learning in the school day. Both programs that are utilized by 21st Century SES, Early/Soar to Success and Moving with Math, are intervention programs designed to work with the school day curriculum to boost student learning. Throughout the past four years these programs have helped students to improve in the various academic areas of focus. In order to provide quality programming, 21st Century SES works with families and school staff to ensure that the services provided are suited for the needs of each student. It is the goal of 21st Century SES to help every student succeed and reach his/her full potential.

Tutors: Local teachers and college graduates

Location: Student's schools

Transportation: No **Grades served:** $1^{st} - 8^{th}$

Minimum number of students required: Yes, a minimum of 3 students per site in each academic level

Costs: \$35.00 per student/per hour

Special groups served: English Language Learners and students with special needs

Record of Effectiveness: In the 2006-07 school year, students demonstrated growth with an average point increase of 21% in math, 17% in reading, and 17% in language arts on Leap Track testing. In the 2007-08 school year, students demonstrated growth with an average point increase of 16% in math, 18% in reading, and 16% in language arts.